



## **BEARFACTS 1990 – 2000**

### **Gadsden (MSA) [23460]**

Gadsden is one of 363 Metropolitan Statistical Areas (MSAs) in the nation. Its 2000 population of 103,312 ranked 330th in the nation.

#### **PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2000 Gadsden had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$21,411. This PCPI ranked 328th in the United States and was 72 percent of the national average, \$29,845. The 2000 PCPI reflected an increase of 4.8 percent from 1999. The 1999-2000 national change was 6.8 percent. In 1990 the PCPI of Gadsden was \$14,601 and ranked 324th in the United States. The 1990-2000 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 3.9 percent. The average annual growth rate for the nation was 4.4 percent.

#### **TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2000 Gadsden had a total personal income (TPI) of \$2,211,986\*. This TPI ranked 344th in the United States. In 1990 the TPI of Gadsden was \$1,457,266\* and ranked 318th in the United States. The 2000 TPI reflected an increase of 4.1 percent from 1999. The 1999-2000 national change was 8.0 percent. The 1990-2000 average annual growth rate of TPI was 4.3 percent. The average annual growth rate for the nation was 5.6 percent.

#### **COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Gadsden. In 2000 net earnings accounted for 62.5 percent of TPI (compared with 64.3 in 1990); dividends, interest, and rent were 15.8 percent (compared with 17.6 in 1990); and personal current transfer receipts were 21.7 percent (compared with 18.1 in 1990). From 1999 to 2000 net earnings increased 2.6 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 7.8 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 5.9 percent. From 1990 to 2000 net earnings increased on average 4.0 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 3.2 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 6.2 percent.

#### **EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK**

Earnings of persons employed in Gadsden increased from \$1,334,017\* in 1999 to \$1,368,744\* in 2000, an increase of 2.6 percent. The 1999-2000 national change was 8.0 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1990 estimate of \$959,180\* to the 2000 estimate was 3.6 percent. The average annual growth rate for the nation was 5.8 percent.

*\*Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.*

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